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Serial No.: 10/533,798 Confirmation No.: 7912 Applicant(s): Karri OSARA et al. Group Art Unit: 1795 Examiner: Bruce F. Bell Filed: May 4, 2005 Customer No.: 27123 For: METHOD FOR THE FORMATION OF A GOOD CONTACT SURFACE ON AN ALUMINIUM SUPPORT BAR AND SUPPORT BAR INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Pursuant to Rule 56, applicant hereby calls the attention of the Patent Office to the references listed on the attached Form PTO 1449. Copy(ies) of these references: Foreign Patent Applications, Foreign Patents and/or Other Non-Patent Documents are attached (Copies of cited U.S. Patents/Publications are not provided). Were filed in related application U.S. Serial No(s) . filed , respectively. This document is being filed within three (3) months of the filing date of the application A check for the requisite fee of \$180 is enclosed. This document is being concurrently filed with the above-identified application This document is being concurrently filed with an Request for Continued Examination (RCE) This document is being filed prior to a first Office Action This document is accompanied by a Search Report/Communication cited in a corresponding PCT or foreign counterpart application. × The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Information Disclosure Statement, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4819-4743. Respectfully submitted, MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P. /Andrew D. Cohen/ Dated: March 19, 2008 By: Andrew D. Cohen Registration No. 61,508 Correspondence Address: Address Associated With Customer Number: 27123 (212) 415-8700 Telephone

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